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**FOR: SUBSTITUTED ACID DERIVATIVES USEFUL AS  
ANTIDIABETIC AND ANTI-OBESITY AGENTS AND METHOD**

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed March 25, 2003, please amend the above-identified application to read as follows.